

SENATE BILL NO. 2263

Introduced by

Senators Robinson, Klein, G. Lee

Representatives Delmore, Nelson, Price

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-10.10 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to veterans' number plates.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 39-04-10.10 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **39-04-10.10. North Dakota veterans' cemetery number plates.**

- 7 1. The director may issue distinctive number plates to individuals eligible for interment
8 in the North Dakota veterans' cemetery. The director shall issue a number plate
9 under this section upon receiving:
- 10 a. Payment of all other fees required under this chapter for registration of a
11 motor vehicle;
 - 12 b. Payment of an ~~annual~~ initial fee of ~~five~~ fifteen dollars ~~for deposit of which ten~~
13 dollars is to be deposited in the highway tax distribution fund and five dollars
14 is to be deposited in the veterans' cemetery maintenance fund; and
 - 15 c. Verification of ~~payment~~ subsequent payments of an annual surcharge of ten
16 dollars paid to the adjutant general.
- 17 2. The department shall collect the fees and the ten dollar surcharge under this
18 section. The department shall report to the legislative assembly on the funds
19 collected under this section during each legislative session. The department shall
20 pay the funds collected under ~~subdivision~~ subdivisions b and c of subsection 1 to
21 the adjutant general monthly, who then, within ten days of receipt of the funds,
22 shall deposit five dollars of each ~~surcharge~~ initial fee in the veterans' cemetery
23 maintenance fund and the ten dollar surcharge shall be divided with five dollars
24 being deposited in the veterans' cemetery trust fund and ~~the remaining~~ five dollars

- 1 ~~of each surcharge being deposited~~ in the veterans' cemetery maintenance fund in
2 the state treasury. ~~The state investment board shall manage the veterans'~~
3 ~~cemetery trust fund.~~ Investment of the fund is the responsibility of the state
4 treasurer who shall have full authority to invest the fund only in the same manner
5 as the state investment board is authorized to make investments. At the request of
6 the adjutant general, the interest in the veterans' cemetery trust fund must be
7 deposited in the veterans' cemetery maintenance fund for the purpose of funding
8 salaries and maintenance of the veterans' cemetery.
- 9 3. The veterans' cemetery trust fund may accept funds from private and federal
10 sources.